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PART IV-A

Rules and Orders (Other than those published in Parts I, I-A, and I-L) made by the Government of Gujarat under the Central Acts

HOME DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 17th July, 2026

CONSTITUTION OF INDIA.

No. GG/80/2026/HD/MHK/e-file/8/2023/7973/C1:- In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Gujarat is hereby makes the following rules for the purpose of employment of such Ex-Agniveers, who are native/origin/permanent residents of the State of Gujarat and have retired from the service as Agniveers from the Indian Armed Forces(Army, Navy and Air Force), to uniformed posts of direct recruitment in the subordinate service of the Police Department, namely:-

1. Short title, commencement and application .-

(1) These rules may be called the Gujarat, Horizontal Reservation for Ex-Agniveers for the employment on uniformed posts of direct recruitment in the subordinate service of the Police Department Rules, 2026.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the *Official Gazette*.

(3) These rules shall be applicable only in respect of direct recruitment to uniformed posts in the subordinate service of the Police Department mentioned in Appendix-I.

2. These rules shall be applicable notwithstanding anything inconsistent contained in any rules, regulation or orders in force at the time of commencement of these rules.

3. Definitions .-

In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires,

(a) "Appendix" means Appendix appended to these rules;

(b) "Appointing Authority" means the appointing authority as defined in the Gujarat Civil Services Rules, 2002;

(c) "Board" means the Gujarat Police Recruitment Board or such other Boards may be constituted by the Government for the said purpose;

(d) "Constitution" means the Constitution of India;

(e) "Ex-Agniveer" means Agniveer who is a native/origin/permanent resident of Gujarat and has retired from the Indian Armed Forces(Indian Army, Navy and Air Force) as Agniveer under the Ministry of Defence, Government of India;

(f) "Government" means the Government of Gujarat;

(g) "Indian Armed Forces" means Indian Armed Forces(Indian Army, Navy and Air Force) under the Ministry of Defence, Government of India;

(h) "Relevant recruitment rules" means the recruitment rules prescribed for the post mentioned in Appendix-I.

4. Ex-Agniveers, who have been issued a discharge certificate from the Indian Armed Forces as Agniveers and whose credentials have been duly verified based on the requisite documents, shall be granted 20% horizontal reservation in uniformed posts of direct recruitment in the subordinate service of the Police Department.

5. Ex-Agniveers shall be exempted from the Physical Efficiency Test in the process of direct recruitment.

6. Ex-Agniveers shall be granted a relaxation of three years in the upper age limit prescribed under the relevant recruitment rules:

Provided that the candidates belonging to the first batch of Agniveers shall be granted a relaxation of five years in the upper age limit prescribed under the relevant recruitment rules.

Appendix-I

Sr. No.	Department	Division	Name of the Post
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1	Home Department	Armed Division	Armed Police Sub Inspector
			Armed Police Constable
2		SRPF Division	Platoon Commander
			SRPF Police Constable
3		Jail Division	Jailer, Group-2
			Jail Sepoy

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

CHIRAGKUMAR PATEL,

Under Secretary to Government.

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